## GRIDIRON SERIES SHIFTS TO BAR-SUR-AUBE TODAY

And years from now those lads who play Where chalk-lines mark a field of green Will say, "But I have hit the line When cheered on by a king and queen."

#### BELGIAN KING AND QUEEN TO WITNESS FOOTBALL GAME

Will Be Guests of General Pershing This Afternoon at Bar-sur-Aube

#### FIRST ARMY PLAYS S.O.S.

Both Clubs Have Won Victories in First Round of Series-Game Tomorrow

Three gaines in the series for the A.E.F. football championship have been played and three teams have been clinimated, leaving four in the field. Today the battle shifts to Bar-sur-Aube, where the First Army champions, the 25th Division, will meet the best team of the Second Army, the 7th Division, the 25th Division, will meet the best team of the Second Army, the 7th Division. Tomorrow at the Velodrome, near Paris, the Suth Division, champion of the Army of Occupation, will play the eleven from the Intermediate Section, S.O.S. A notable gathering will be on hand for the context at Bar-sur-Aube today, including the King and Queen of Belgium, Gen. J. J. Perslung, frommander-in-Clufe of the J. J. Perslung, frommander-in-Clufe of the J. J. Perslung, frommander-in-Clufe of the Commander of the A.E.F. championship games, on a field entirely surrounded by howling, cheering dougthops, with three bands blaring, and with a snake dance between halves. The impression left upon the mind of the European Army officer, accustomed to the wild rooting characteristic of American sports, was vivid. He told the King about it. And so the Bedgian monarch wrote General Perching that he should like to witness an American football game. The Commander-in-Clufe passed the word altone for Col. Watt C. Johnson, Officer, and he arranged to have Friday's contest transferred to that hinself.

#### 89th DIVISION FROM S.O.S.

Outplays St. Nazaire from Ever) Angle -- Stands Pat When Opponents Threaten

Stonewall Jackson in the heydey of his glory never fought with greater stubborness, nor with greater success, than the eleven pigskin representatives of the Third Army in the game with St. Nazaire has Friday, when the men from the Army of Cecupation triumphed over Eddie Hart's S.O.S. team, 13 to dowerful attack and a derense this left nothing to be desired, were the two outstanding factors that contributed to the victory. And to these must be added the individual work of Lindsey, who scored the first touchdown, and who repeatedly out-punted the great Mahan. Two of his kicks were for 70 and 66 yards, respectively.

#### The Line-Up and Summary

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### G.H.Q. IS S.O.L. IN FIRST GAME

Intermediate Section Eleven Cleans Up, Using Whitewash With Telling Effect

The S.O.S. got even with G.H.Q. Saturasy for all the drilling and the courts marked and the long, dry, official orders. Uses a great day for all ranks in to and inluding the second "loots," Briedly summer pit was the worst defeat suffered by Gental Headquarters in the present warst-10-6 blow from the rear. Whose Thinning Soungsters of the Infermediate oction, S.O.S., recruited for the fast fraction, S.O.S., and the second control of the second countries. S. A. Signa the field general median for the second countries of the second control of the second countries. S.O.S. are required for the fast fraction, S.O.S., recruited for the fast fraction of the second countries of the second countries of the second countries and strategy of Chaumont prove utile against the newerful defense of the

winners.

Both teams resorted to the old style of play and confined their efforts to attempts to gain ground with hard, straight football, Peterson scored the first touchdown in the opening quarter, plowing through the line a Ford tractor. He registered another in the second chapter on a short end run after Kelly had skirted the field for a 28-yard cain.

after Kelly had sorred one new on a 2-yard gain.

Chaumonts representatives plainly showed the lack of practice, due to the fact that the team had only been playing together five days and under the circumstances their showing was very creditable.

#### The Line-Un and Summary



#### BOXER MENTIONED IN TWO INDORSEMENTS: ON BOOKS AS AWOL

The following clipping and corre-pondence is interesting: spontence is interesting:
From the New York Police Gazetle:
"Angle Rather, the Breix (N.Y.) middleweight,
the has been Eghting our-reas with Unite Sant's
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sha was previously a top sergeant, dal such good
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Prom Commanding Officer, Company A, 52nd Pinneer Infantry, to Officer in Charge, Central Records Office.

2-As yet be has not reported to the company, the is carried on our records at present as AWOL, per fixtrections received from Commanding General, District of Parts. etements noted in the attached clip to been wun in London after leaving

## S.O.S. FIGHTERS FLOCK TO TOURS

Championship Boxing to Be Held There Week Commencing Monday

The eyes of soldier-sport-fans all over the American E.F. will be centered next week on the championship boxing turna-ment of the S.O.S., which opens at Tours on Monday. The bouts will hast a week with three fights going on at all times u two big hangars

The fighters began to arrive yesterday and are being quartered in four barracks reserved for the purpose. While in Tour-they will be on attached service with the First Casual Athletic Company, under

## PARIS BASKETBALL LEAGUE STARTS PLAY

Chateau-Thierry Five One of Seven Clubs Included in Organization

Seven basketball teams recruited from organizations in and around Parus have been formed into a lengue, and the pennant winner will represent the District of Parus in the A.E.F (inds.

The teams are from Overall Park, 143rd Field Attillery, Orly Acceptance Park, Clipancour Burneds, Cli

M. K. Greings to supervise the ci All games are played either at nase Voltaire or at Overall Park. The schedule is as follows:

March 12- Overall Park vs. Orly and Clichy vs. GRg-rancourr at Gymnase Voltaire.

" 24- 143rd UA vs. Chatesu-Thiory at Gymnase

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#### 89TH TRIMS 90TH AT BASKET-BALL

## TWO INDIAN GRIDIRON STARS OF SECOND ARMY



#### CRACK POLO PLAYERS AND MANY NOTED HORSEMEN IN REMOUNT SERVICE RANKS

flicers and 14,660 enlisted men in the Reount Service, of which Col. F. S. Arm-rong, Cavalry, is the chief, there would be and a galaxy of start in every branch of port in which the horse plays a part.

sport in which the horse plays a part.

A pole team could be organized overnight that would be hard picking for the best of clubs; enough good riders could be secured to make a good showing either on the flat or over the jumps. It would also be possible to get enough trainers to take care of comugh strings to provide a race meeting. There are also enough show riders in the Itemount Service to make a creditable showing on the tabbark in any ring. If a wild west show was needed to complete an entertainment, enough bronche riders could

#### LE MANS BEATEN IN FAST CONTEST

Superior Weight of 36th Division Proves Too Much for Plucky S.O.S. Team

Outweighed but game to the core, the leven from the Le Mans Forwarding Cump at up a remarkable defensive battle gainst the 36th Division team Monday, bu

#### The Line-Up and Summar

#### K. OF C. BOXING SHOW AT NANTES

Members of the A.E.F. stationed in and around Nantes were treated to a real box-ing entertainment last week at the Salle Colbert theater when the Knights of Colum-

Colhert theater when the kandle of Colimbus staged their first show in that the hus staged their first show in the More than 3,000 wearers of the O.D. cloth were on hand and the show was a hig success. The bouts, which numbered four in all, and the battle royal, were full of action from start to disist.

In a sensational three-round mill, Sgt. Allen Beck, of the 36th Service Company of Nantes, and Sgt. D. A. Blankers of the 66th Marines of St. Nazarie, boxed a draw. Both men were in good condition and gave a fine exhibition of the manly art of self-defense. Their weight was amounced at the ringside as 160 pounds.

A three-round opener between Charlie Perelli, 101st Infantry, and Frank Pilerski, 13th Regiment, U.S.M.C., was won by the former by a shade.

Neyer Wolf, 66th Marines, proved too.

on assument. U.S.M.C., was won by the former by a shade.

Neyer Wolf, 65th Marines, proved too much for Johnnie Hanlon of Casual Company No. 1 in their part of the evening's rutertainment, which was a three-round go, Wolf's ability to hit in the clinches gave him the verdict.

"Battling" Carlos, a Frenchman of Paris, was given the decision over Frank Dooling of the U.S.S. Geneive in the second round of a scheduled three-round bout. Captain Brady, the referee, awarded the battle to Carlos on fouls committed by Dooling.

A battle royal between six colored sollliers furnished lots of comedy for the light fans.

Dominica Bonini, speed merchant of the Q.M. Detachment, Hospital Center, Marssur-Allier, A.P.O. 780, through his man ager, Pvt. Bert W. Jackson, challenges any man in the A.E.F. who thinks he can ride a motorcycle for a race or number of raccover any distance and under any conditions.

## 54TH PIONEERS **ACTIVE IN SPORTS**

Company B Lands Soccer League Pennant, Beating Company C, 1 to 0

The 54th Pioneer Infantry is the late The 54th Pioneer Infantry is the latest unit to east its hat into the athletic ring of the Army of Occupation, and in a short time should be able to give its rivals in the Third Army an interesting tussle for A.E.F. championship honors.

Its soccer football league which has been holding forth on the Rhine field at Neuendorf, has just completed its schedule. Company B nosing out Company C for the flag The context these two clubs wanged to de-

The contest these two clubs waged to decide the fille will go down in the Arm of Occupation sport history as one of the

hest battles ever staged.

When the two teams took the field neither had a defeat chalked against its record and owing to the great interest in the outcome it was decided to hunt up a strictly neutral referee. Accordingly, Corporal Carke, of the famous Middlesex Feejiment, British Army, with the British Mission in Colonge, was invited to handle the game. He accepted and his work was satisfactory to all concerned.

By a spiculid exhibition of team work Company B finally won out, I to 5, before a crowd of about 2,000 Yanks and Germans.

#### WOMEN MANAGES BEAU DESERT BOUTS

carries and respect, manner to make a first since and on the long of the male fight managers at the base.

While the base.

While the keeplets, as a boxing promoter at the Red Cross recreation but at Hospital 12. Trier, is not to be discounted. Beau besert lays claim to having had the first hady boxing promoter in the A.E.F. in Miss Hamilton, who, by the way, is also interested in other branches of athletics.

But looking at the proposition from another angle, we have to doff our old chapeau to those splendid American women who are oversees working to make our stay in a strange, though friendly, land less itsome.

Its of the description of the A.E.F.! Shades of Dr. Mary Walker, what will the be running next?

#### READY MADE O.D. SUIT WON'T FIT THIS MAN

Pvt. P. J. Ryan, of the 207th Company, Military Police, who, while a member of the Irish-American Abhelte Club, was national annatour champion at throwing the hammer for five years, 1913 to '17, is training for the S.O.S. track meet in April. Pat stands over six feet six inches and weighs nore than 300 pounds. As the Army has no issue uniform that will fit him, he holds the distinction of being the only private in the AJLF, for whom Uncle Sam provides custom made clothing.

The Richelica prisoner of war camp is to have a six team baseball league, which will begin practice immediately. The league topnotcher will be entered for the Service Supply pennant.

## 355TH INFANTRY CAPTURES SEVEN FIRSTS IN MEET

**Proves Supremacy Over Best** Track Material in 89th Division

Kendall Finishes Ahead of Big Field in Mile Run-Hildebrand Stars in Jumps

Romping in with a clear margin of 20 points over its nearest competitor, the 355th Infantry easily won the track championship of the 89th Division in a meet held on the Golden Barracks parade grounds in Trier

The doughboys rolled up 37 points, followed by the 314th Engineers with 17, the 340th Machine Gun Battalion with 16, and the 353rd Infantry with 14.

proved to be the intersection. The running broad and high jumps, third place in the standing broad jump, and second place in the standing broad jump, and second place in the shot put, thereby scoring the greatest number of points annexed by any single

#### The Summary

Mile Run-Pirst, Kendall, 355th Inf.; second. For 356th Inf.; third, Faulkner, 356th Inf. Time inch. Mile Run-First, Foster, 356th Inf.; second, 314th A.T.; third, Yaugubin, 553rd Inf. Time,

Arad Dash—First Blackburn, \$55th Inf.; sec-Williams, 349th M.G. Bn.; third, Meents, 355th Jourth, Hart, 342nd F.A. Thno, Il 2-340th M.G. Second, Clapp, 375th Inf.; third, Potter, 355th Jourth, Arendt, 354th Inf. Pime, 2119 2-5, 1-341 [helps-First, 355th Inf.; second, 354th Inf.;

#### YANKS WIN FROM FRENCH BY NOSE

of a colored labor battalion closed the program.

The results follow:
Digrazio (115), 317th Infantry, was given the decision over Juillard (125) in a fast give-and-take mill.

Pallman (126), 317th Infantry, shaded Teligny (135) in a close battle.
Fallman (146) wore down Matton (135), 317th Infantry, shaded freings (135) in a close battle.

For the first was given the decision was given the decision was given the decision was given the decision of the first telephone (138), 324th Labor Battalion knocked out Roaretti (135) in the first found. Rearetti was unable to put up a defense against Holmes' whitelwind attack. Garowski (148), 317th Infantry, knocked out Wardaz (150) in the first round. Warlaz (150), former Belgian champion. autrought Rebardson (190), 317th Infantry. Richardson failed in the infighting times with his right.

#### CRACK ATHLETES OF S.O.S. GO TO COLOMBES TO TRAIN

HERE'S A BIRD WHO
HAS A GROWL AND
PASSES IT ALONG

One of our correspondents who were the seat out of a good pair of O.D. trousers watching the numerous score-less tie games played between football teams in the Second Army sends us the following:

March 5, 1939.

Sperling Editor, THE STARS AND STRIPT'S:
Yesterday the 28th Division football team played the third conservative the game with the 5th Division cleven. Even an extra half failed in its purse; therefore, I have the following suggestions to

ely yours, Cpl. HENRY D. COX.

## **78TH DIVISION HAS SOME GOOD BOXERS**

Camp Dix Heavyweight Star Among Those After A.E.F. Honors

Every Monday evening in the 78th Division fight fans are given the opportunity of witnessing eight boxing bouts of the highest order. The Lightning Division at the present time is bousting of a stable of top notch scrappers, men who have proven their worth before entering the Army. "Fight Night" at the Semur Theater attracts an audience from all over the division and in many of the units the privilege of attending the contests is used as a reof attending the centests is used as a reward for good work during the week.

came over to the 75th full of confidence came over to the 1st fail of common or the result was five wins for the Lightning fighters and one draw. That evening was really the initial exhibition and since that time the 78th has also won all bouts with the exception of one in the First Army Corps. They are now training for the coming contests in the First Army and are consident that they will make an excellent theories.

#### List of Heavyweights

Alma H. Richards, Howard Drew, James Duncan and Others in Squad

#### **BIG MEET COMING IN MAY**

Some of America's Best Performers to Be Seen in Action in Track and Field Games

A squad of athletes were ordered to proceed to Colombes Stadium, near Paris, this week, for a course of training before participation in the S.O.S. track and field meet, which will be held at Colombes in May. These men are the stars of the nine different sections into which the S.O.S. has been divided. They will undergo a course of training under the best coaches and trainers that the service can produce.

Probably the hardest contested single event in the coming meet will be the pentathlon, not only because it is distinctly military, but for the reason that champions of former big meets are entered for

ons of former big meets are entered for t and in training. A few of these are lieut. Alma H. Richards, 8th Infantry, for-

#### GOOD FISTIC CARD AT **CAMP PONTANEZEN**

Five good bouts were on the fistic program at Camp Pontanezen. Brest, last week, one of them being a grudge fight which proved very interesting. It was the fourth bout between L. Smith and Ryan, both of the 37th Division. The man with the famous cough drop brothers finally won in the seventh round. Greene, of the 319th Engineers, and Copules, of the 3th Infantry, fought a fiveround draw in the lightweight class. Cantanzero, 110th Engineers, and Blair, of Camp Hospital 3a, hooked up in a 13a-pound bout, Cantanzero winning in four rounds.

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